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In 1890 William McKinley was burned in effigy in the English manufacturing city of Sheffield; but in 1891 William L. Wilson was dined and wine in London because he is the author of a Free-trade Tariff Bill. These are significant facts.

**COLONEL JOHN C. WOOD** of Mt. Sterling, who was announced as a candidate for Railroad Commissioner before the recent landslide, is still in the field. In the absence of any "favorite son," the Republicans of Mason should bear Mr. Wood in mind.

While factories are everywhere starting up under the assurance that there will be no more tinkering with the Tariff by mischievous Democracy, wages continue to be cut to fit the conditions of the new Tariff Bill that Democracy has prepared for American workmen.

The coldest place in the world is Yakutsk, Russia. Sometimes the mercury drops to 73 degrees below zero.

Yakutsk isn't in it a little bit. You just had better be in Jim KERO's office the morning after the election. The mercury dangles the Fisher's Hornpipe 41-44 degrees below Cairo.

ONE of the "economical" strokes of this "economically administered" Democratic Administration is the cessation of war on the official records of the War of the Rebellion. The ninety-fourth volume was issued some months ago, and the chances are that no more will be gotten out until a Republican Congress provides the money.

**THOMAS J. YOUNG** of Louisville has bought an interest in The Bath County Banner, a Republican paper, and will take charge as editor on the 6th of December. Mr. YOUNG has been a life-long Democrat, but has made a radical and entire change in his politics. Nor is he the only one who has been brought to a realization of the dangers that threaten under Democratic ideas.

The Editor of THE LEDGER is probably the only one who regards The Bulletin's comments on the late vote at the Tollgate Precinct as a "blam" at any Democrat. Does the Editor of THE LEDGER believe that the increase of thirty-four in the Republican vote in that Precinct is an honest one? Bulletin.

Does the Editor of The Bulletin still insist that the Democratic election officers at the Tollgate Precinct permitted thirty-four illegal Republican votes to cast? Who's a thout it?

**FLEMING** county Republicans have a nominee to present for the state ticket in the person of Hon. JOHN P. MCCARTNEY for Attorney General. His name would not only go to make up a strong ticket, but it would contribute largely to an able one. It will be remembered that two years ago Mr. MCCARTNEY was the Republican candidate who opposed THOMAS H. PAYNTER for Congress in this District. During his campaign of that campaign he made an impression that has given him prestige and influence in this section, and a position amongst the prominent Republicans of the state. He is young in years, but one of the most able and successful attorneys in this part of the state. He strongly favored Congressman-elect Poon during the recent campaign, and stamped the District in his interest.

"This county hangman," the stuffed prophet, "a salmon trout-pig," are choice expressions of THE PUBLIC LEDGER in referring to the President of the United States nowadays. The Editor of THE P. L. didn't talk that way when he was Postmaster—Bulletin.

Will some one please give MANS a dose of paregoric and anastaltic? His little belly continues to ache because TOM PAYNTER and FRANK JONES and BILL RUSSELL and GROVER CLEVELAND didn't give him the Postoffice. Well, Brother, we hope you will pull through; and if THE P. L. didn't score GROVE formerly it was because the "stuffed prophet" had not then developed a genuine case of pig-headedness. THE LEDGER has always felt free to praise or condemn, as the circumstances required.

The ponderous message of President CLEVELAND is before the country. It contains 10,000 words. About the only part of it that is worth considering is the President's statement of the financial condition. The country had already been made aware of the fact that in the income of the Government, as compared with the expenditures, there was a deficit. This was reduced to figures, and the President mentions these for the last fiscal year as \$36,000,000, while he also estimates the deficit for the next fiscal year at \$20,000,000. Why this discouraging result? Up to the incoming of his Administration there was not a deficit on the contrary, there was a surplus. The deficit began to show itself when the country, in 1892, decided in favor of the Democratic policy of Free-trade. No Republican could have written a stronger protest against the policy of his Administration and his party than has been written by the President himself. It must now be accepted by all good Democrats that GROVER and his gang are incompetent to handle the affairs of Government, for GROVER himself hath said it.

Last night the frost was on the pumpkin, and no mistake.

**Died at Orlando.**  
Just as THE LEDGER goes to press news comes that Mr. Vina Strole Poyntz, wife of Mr. Nat Poyntz, formerly of this city, died at Orlando, Fla., December 4th at 8 o'clock.

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# THE POPGUNS.

There Will Be No Tariff Legislation This Session.

The Senate Finance Committee Settles the Question Quickly.

Mr. Voorhees, the Chairman, is understood to have Taken Strong Ground Against More Tariff Laws—Mr. Harris Wants the Sugar Schedule Modified.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The fate of all tariff legislation, and especially that contemplated in the four so-called "popgun" tariff bills, and the measure intended to remedy the error in the alcohol clause of the tariff bill, was practically sealed by the discussion had by the senate finance committee Tuesday morning. The discussion was confined almost exclusively to tariff, the currency scheme of the president receiving only casual reference.

Mr. Harris said he would like to see the sugar schedule modified, but in view of the statements made to congress by Secretary Caviot, he could not advocate any step that would reduce the revenues of the government. Mr. Jones was desirous of having the different sugar duty expanded, but admitted the inability to carry out that desire.

Mr. Voorhees, chairman of the committee, is understood to have taken strong ground against any more tariff legislation this session. He declared himself opposed to any tampering with the present tariff law as it passed the senate. He wanted it to stand and let the people have the chance of testing it.

The republicans were of the same opinion, and said, as the democrats had passed the bill against their protest, they must stand or fall by the legislation, however perilous it proved to be. It was apparent that any effort to take up the supplemental bills would be the signal for the opening of the whole tariff question, and the democratic members of the committee admitted, it is said, that they were prepared to do anything.

The discussion in the finance committee room, it is believed, will have an important bearing upon the action of the democratic caucus in outlining the order of business for the next few weeks.

**Ohio's Poor.**  
COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 4.—Mr. Jos. Byers, clerk of the board of state charities, has completed a compilation of the statistical returns made to the board by the county charities of the state. It is shown that the whole number of persons maintained in the county infirmaries this year was 15,525, being an increase over last year of 1,570. This increase was principally in the male population of 10,000 persons. The per cent of illiteracy among these unfortunates is remarkable. Thirty-eight per cent were unable to read or write, but it is notable that they were nearly all persons of foreign birth. The educated man or woman is shown to have better chance for support.

**Suit Against Express Companies.**

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 4.—The state of Ohio, through Atty.-Gen. Richards, brought suit Tuesday to collect the excise tax from the following express companies: American, \$1,364.07 and \$1,673.05; a total of \$3,037.12; Adams, \$9,623.79 and a penalty of \$1,314.32; or a total of \$10,937.95; United States, \$4,429.01 and a penalty of \$2,214.50, or a total of \$6,643.51; National, \$228.64 and a penalty of \$114.32, or a total of \$342.96.

**Resigns His Chairmanship.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—M. G. Eisenhower, of New Jersey, has resigned the chairmanship of the house committee on immigration and naturalization to accept the chairmanship of the committee on naval affairs. The chairmanship of the immigration and naturalization committee will go to Mr. Epps, of Virginia, the ranking democratic member.

**Blind's Free Coinage Bill.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Mr. Blain, the chairman of the house committee on coinage, expects to call the committee together next week and lay before them his free coinage bill. He said it was possible to secure a favorable report there a little doubt that the house will pass such a measure.

**Passing of Joeekaw.**

HAZEL, Ind., Dec. 4.—A young daughter of David Howard, of this city, is dying of lockjaw. A few days ago she had a tooth drawn, and all seemed well when she caught cold in her gums, and Tuesday lockjaw developed in a violent form. She is 13 years of age.

**Scalloped Raw Carrots.**

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 4.—Mrs. Mary Marks Cooper, wife of ex-Mayor John T. Cooper, died Tuesday afternoon after several hours of awful agony, resulting from having swallowed several ounces of raw carbolic acid.

**A Fatal Fall.**

ELYRIA, O., Dec. 4.—Charles Enple fell into quarry No. 6 at North Amherst Tuesday morning, a distance of eighty feet, striking on his head, killing him instantly. He leaves a wife and child.

**Why He Wants a Divorce.**

FAIRMONT, O., Dec. 4.—Raymond A. Knight, a prominent farmer of Columbiana county, has asked his wife for divorce on the ground that she refused to prepare him anything to eat.

**Tillman on Governor.**

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 4.—Benjamin Ryan Tillman is no longer governor of South Carolina. At 1:30 p. m. Tuesday he was succeeded by his chief lieutenant, John Gary Evans.

**Iron Kaitie Defeated Schaefer.**

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Ives defeated Schaefer again Tuesday night, winning over him in hollow fashion. Schaefer could only make 203, while Ives was piling up his 660.

# IN CONGRESS.

Time Extended the Board of Engineers to Survey Canal Routes Through Ohio. WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—There were exactly one hundred members on the floor by actual count when the house met at noon Tuesday. The galleries were almost empty. The democratic leaders had decided just before the house was called to order to plunge immediately into routine business.

On motion of Mr. Storer a resolution extending the time allowed the board of engineers to survey canal routes through the state of Ohio under the river and harbor bill was adopted.

Mr. Outhwaite, from the committee on military affairs, called up a bill for the relief of the legal representatives of Arsenius P. Boyd, late of the Eighth U. S. cavalry, but it was ruled out on a point of order and he called up the bill for the dedication of the Chicamunga and Chattanooga National park. The bill appropriates \$20,000.

When the senate convened at noon Tuesday there were few traces of the confusion attending the opening of congress Monday. The various dignity and serenity of the chamber were restored, there was the usual scattered and shifting attendance in the galleries, and the house and senate seemed to enter without delay upon the real business of the session. A large number of bills, petitions and memorials were presented, most of them of a local character.

Mr. Blanchard offered a resolution reciting the circumstances under which the sugar bounty was cut off after the sugar crop for 1894 was put in. It directed the committee on appropriations to include in the urgency deficiency bill a sum sufficient to pay the bounty for the present year. The resolution went over for the present.

Mr. Vest offered an amendment to the rules with a view of cutting off protracted debate in the senate. It provides that after a measure has been debated thirty days it will be in order for any senator to move to fix a day for the final vote. This motion is to be put without debate or delay and if carried the original question is to be voted on at the time fixed. Mr. Vest said he would address the senate Wednesday on the need of this reformatory rule.

At 1:25 p. m. the senate adjourned and the democratic senators went into caucus.

**KILLED BY A FIST BLOW.**

The Victim and His Assailant Were Intoxicated.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 3.—John Naughton, aged 24, struck Wm. Brickley, a companion about the same age, a blow with his fist in a Diamond-street saloon Tuesday morning which felled him to the floor. When picked up Brickley was nearly dead and life was ebbing from his veins. It was thought his neck was broken though he was taken to the morgue where a medical examination and his assailant locked up. Both young men were deaf mutes and had been fast friends for years. Monday night Brickley had been drinking and was carousing. Tuesday morning they were refused a drink in a Diamond-street saloon and began quarreling. Brickley then struck Naughton over the crown of his head with a bottle of twenty-five cents. Naughton then struck the fatal blow.

**Hanged in Sight of All.**

LONDON, Dec. 3.—James Canham Reed, who was convicted of the murder of Florence Dennis at Southend on June 24 last, was hanged at Chelmsford Tuesday. Reed was a married man who had been intimate with the woman he was convicted of killing. The trial attracted considerable attention in England and Robert Buchanan the playwright and author, took a great interest in the case and recently wrote a letter to the Home Secretary for the condemned man on the ground that it was not clearly proved that he murdered Florence Dennis.

**Omaha Block Broken.**

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 4.—At 5 o'clock Tuesday morning fire broke out in the Exposition hall, covering three-quarters of a block on Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets and Capitol avenue. The fire destroyed it, together with the First Baptist church, Fifteenth and Des Moines. The exposition building was partially occupied by the Fifteenth street theater. This is the theater burned out two years ago on Farmington street.

**Want to Carry the Mail.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The opening of bids for contracts for delivery and steamboat mail service in Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa and Missouri will be commenced at the post office department Wednesday. The time for receiving bids expired Tuesday. There are 3,000 routes in these states, covering 47,570 miles, and the number of bids submitted is estimated at 100,000.

**A Good Citizen.**

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Dec. 3.—President Daniel Angell of the University of Michigan, appeared in the circuit court Tuesday as a jurymen and was regularly allotted to serve. He said that he was ready, like any other American citizen, to do his duty on a jury, and was glad of an opportunity to do such humble service to the state.

**Shot in the Head.**

TELL CITY, Ind. 4.—A serious affray occurred in the Grand Central saloon at this place. Henry Leimgruber was ordered out of the place, but instead of complying, assaulted the bartender, John Gittings. In the melee Gittings shot Leimgruber twice in the head, instantly wounding him.

**Died of His Wounds.**

PORTLAND, Ind., Dec. 3.—Frank Roberts, of this city, who was accidentally shot by Ed Diek, another Portlandite, while hunting near Earl's farm, died at the St. Joseph's hospital at Memphis at 1 o'clock Tuesday morning. His remains will be brought here.

**Artistician Drunken on Trial.**

BEND, Dec. 4.—The trial of Truher and others, charged with carrying on a saloon, began Tuesday. There are seven defendants, and the jury is made up of twelve men. The jury are mainly members of the army.

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